

A warm welcome to Camden, we are very happy that you are here.

We want to make sure you have the help and support you need. This pack gives you information about services and places in Camden for you and your family. If you need help, you can call:

- Camden Council on 0207 974 4444 or visit <u>www.camden.gov.uk</u>
- Migrant Help on 0808 8010 503 or visit https://www.migranthelpuk.org/contact

Here is a link to a map of Camden http://maps.camden.gov.uk/Nearest.aspx
You can use it to search for services and places near to your hotel.

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Schools and education



Your child can apply to go to school, and you may be able to get help with school uniform and school meals. If you want a school place for your child, you can apply to the school.

Your nearest schools are:

Primary Schools (4-11 year olds)

Kingsgate

96 Kingsgate Rd, NW6 2JG

Tel: 20 7624 5379

Email: admin@kingsgate-pri.camden.sch.uk

St Mary's Kilburn (Church of England)

Quex Rd, NW6 4PG Tel: 020 7372 6565

Email:

admin@stmarykilburn.camden.sch.uk

Kilburn Grange (in Brent)

Priory Park Road, NW6 7UJ

Tel: 0207 504 0547

Email: info@kilburngrangeschool.org.uk

St Eugene de Mazenod (Catholic School)

Mazenod Ave, NW6 4LS

Tel: 020 7624 4837

Email: admin@steugene.camden.sch.uk

Secondary Schools (11-18 year olds)

Hampstead School (Girls and Boys)

Westbere Rd, NW2 3RT Tel: 020 7794 8133

Email: enquiries@hampsteadschool.org.uk

Queens Park Community School (in Brent, Girls and Boys)

Aylestone Ave, NW6 7BQ Tel: 020 8438 1700

Email: info@gpcs.brent.sch.uk

UCL Academy (Girls and Boys)

Adelaide Rd, NW3 3AQ

Tel: 020 7449 3080

Email: enquiries@uclacademy.co.uk

School Uniform

If you need help with the cost of school uniform, ask the school if they would help you apply for a grant. These organisations might be able to help:

Glasspool

http://www.glasspool.org.uk/grants/grants

grants@glasspool.org.uk

Tel: 0203 141 3161

Ragamuffins

www.londonragamuffins.org.uk

Free School Meals

You might be able to get free school meals for your child. You need to apply online

https://www.camden.gov.uk/ free-school-meals

or call 0207 974 4444 for help



Adult education and ESOL



There are lots of free education courses for adults in Camden.

ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) courses

If you have never done ESOL classes before, or not for a long time contact the Camden ESOL Advice Service

Tel: 020 7974 1618

Email esol@camden.gov.uk

Other Adult Education courses:

Tel: 02079742148

https://www.webenrol.com/camden



You can register with a GP and with a dentist. You might also need a hospital or an optician.

Some health services might need to be paid for, and you may be able to get help with the costs. Your nearest health services are:

GP/Doctor

Belsize Priory Medical Practice

208 Belsize Road, NW6 4DX Tel: 020 3317 5800 https://www.belsizepriory

medicalpractice.co.uk

Abbey Medical Centre 85 Abbey Road,

NW8 0AG Tel: 020 7604 2455

https://www.abbeymc.co.uk

Brondesbury Medical Centre

279 Kilburn High Road NW6 7JQ

Tel: 020 7624 9853

https://www.brondesbury medicalcentre.co.uk



Hospital (Accident and Emergency)

Royal Free Hospital Pond St, NW3 2QG Tel: 111 or 999 https://www.royalfree.nhs.uk

Dentist

Shape Dental Clinic

44 Kilburn High Road, NW6 4HJ Tel: 020 7624 2434

Kilburn Dental & Oral Surgery

98A Kilburn High Road, NW6 4HS Tel: 020 7328 4008

Optician

I S Cohen

46 Kilburn High Road, NW6 4HJ Tel: 020 7624 9277

Kilburn Specsavers Opticians

116 Kilburn High Road, NW6 4HY Tel: 020 7328 5655

Help with Medical Costs

You might be able to get help with the cost of some medical services. You can use this checker to find out, or ask your GP for help

https://services.nhsbsa.nhs.uk/check-for-help-paying-nhs-costs/start







There are lots of ways to get around Camden, including bus and tube.

Your children might also be able to get free or discounted transport. Your nearest transport services are:

Nearest bus service

Kilburn High Road Station Kilburn High Rd, NW6 5UA

Here is a link to planning a bus journey

https://tfl.gov.uk/maps/bus

and here is a link where you can look at a bus map

https://tfl.gov.uk/maps_/bus-spidermaps?Query=Camden

Nearest tube line:

Kilburn Park (Bakerloo Line)

Here is a link to a map of London Underground

https://tfl.gov.uk/maps/track/tube

You can use this link to plan a journey on London's public transport:

https://tfl.gov.uk/plan-a-journey

Here is a link to information about free or discounted transport for children

https://tfl.gov.uk/fares/free-and-discounted-travel





There are lots of supermarkets in Camden, and we have foodbanks who give food for free.

You can also use Camden's find food website here https://findfood.camden.gov.uk

Nearest supermarkets

Aldi

142-162 Kilburn High Rd, NW6 4JD

Sainsburys

88-92 Kilburn High Rd, North Maida Vale, NW6 4HS

Nearest foodbanks

Chalk Farm Baptist Church,

Berkley Rd, NW1 8YS

Tel: 020 7483 3763

North Paddington Foodbank

St Lukes Church Fernhead Rd, W9 3EJ Tel: 07932 623443

See 'Community Centres' section for more food help.





Help with babies and toddlers



Childrens Centres are for families with children aged 0-5 and for people expecting a baby.

Your nearest Childrens Centre is:

Kilburn Grange Children's Centre
1 Palmerston Road NW6 2JL
Tel: 020 7974 5080

They can help with:

- Midwifery, pregnancy and health visiting services
- Stay and play drop-ins and other activities for you and your child to enjoy together
- Childcare and childminders
- One-to-one support if you are feeling low, anxious or stressed by family life
- Information and support about breastfeeding, baby feeding and healthy eating
- Family support team if you need extra help
- Finding training, employment and benefits advice
- Advice and play activities to support your child's speech and language
- Local services for children with special educational needs and/or Disabilities, visit
- http://localoffer.camden.gov.uk





The Camden Family Early Help Service can give practical and emotional support for you and your children.

Call 0207 974 3317 or email <u>LBCMASHAdmin@camden.gov.uk</u>
More information here <u>https://www.camden.gov.uk/early-help-for-children-and-families</u>







There are lots of legal advice services in and around Camden who can help with immigration and asylum:

Camden Community Law Centre

Tel: 020 7284 6510

Website: https://cclc.org.uk

Advocate

Free legal assistance from volunteer barristers

Tel: (voicemail only) 020 7092 3960

Email:

enquiries@weareadvocate.org.uk
https://weareadvocate.org.uk

CORAM Children's Legal Centre

One-off email advice from a specialist solicitor

Email:

mcpadvice@coramclc.org.uk

Website:

https://www.childrenslegalcentre. com/get-legal-advice/immigrationasylum-nationality/advice-line

Crossroads Women

For women who are seeking asylum, including those who may be separated from their children.

http://crossroadswomen.net/ what-we-do

Just for Kids Law

For young people aged 10 to 25 who live in London, on a range of immigration issues.

Tel: 020 3174 2279

Email: info@justforkidslaw.org https://justforkidslaw.org

Joint Council for the Welfare of Immigrants (JCWI)

Tel: 020 7251 8708

Email: info@jcwi.org.uk

Website:

https://www.jcwi.org.uk

020 7553 7470

Rights of Women

Advice lines on immigration and asylum law for women.

Tel: 020 7490 7689

Email: info@row.org.uk

Website:

https://rightsofwomen.org.uk

Latin American House

Immigration, asylum, nationality, detention, advice and casework, mainly (but not exclusively) for Latin Americans, Spanish and Portuguese speakers

Tel: 020 7372 8653

Email: info@casalatina.org.uk

Website:

https://casalatina.org.uk/legalsocial-advice/benefits-housingemployment

Domestic violence

Camden Safety Net

Here to help survivors of domestic violence and their children. If you are in immediate danger, call the police on 999

Tel: 020 7974 2526

Email: camdensafetynet@camden.gov.uk

https://www.camden.gov.uk/domestic-violence

Hopscotch

Specialist support for Asian women experiencing violence or abuse

Tel: 020 8961 6549/ 5701

http://www.hopscotchawc.org.uk

National Domestic Abuse Helpline

Tel: 08082000247

Women's Aid Live Chat

If it's unsafe or you're unable to speak on the phone

https://chat.womensaid.org.uk

Men's Advice Line

Support for Male Victims and Survivors 08088010327

GALOP LGBT+ Domestic Abuse Helpline

02077042040 or 08009995428





Places to play and things to do



Camden has lots of things to do and places to go with children. Your nearest facilities are:

Playgrounds

Alexandra Road Park

600m – 3 playgrounds + football pitch

Kilburn Grange Park

900m – infant playground + adventure play + football / basketball

Paddingdon Rec

800m - infant + children's

Kilburn Library

12-22 Kilburn High Road, NW6 5UH

Book borrowing for adults, young adults and children, free bookable computers, Study Space and free online Digital Resources.

Swiss Cottage Leisure Centre

4a Adelaide Rd, NW3 3NF Tel: 020 7974 2012

playground, multi-sport activities, children soft play, swimming children + adults, adult activity sessions incl gym

Camden Activity Map

Find free and low-cost activities around Camden from; youth clubs, outdoor gyms, sports clubs and more.

Ways to Move Resource

and local information package on fun ways to stay active in Camden

Accessible Camden Disability Activity Finder (Wiki Links)

Find social and fun activities around Camden.

Free Activities

9 Outdoor Gyms

Kilburn Grange Park is closest

Camden Health Walks

Free health walk through Camden throughout the week assisted by qualified walk leaders.

Free things to do in London

https://www.visitlondon. com/things-to-do/familyactivities/31-free-thingsto-do-with-kids





Places for young people



There are lots of centres for young people aged 11+ in Camden, who offer free things to do and enjoy.

Your nearest youth centres are:

Netherwood Youth and Family Hub

5 Netherwood Street, NW6 2QU

Tel: 020 7974 5003 / 1534

Email: vanessa.simon@camden.gov.uk or

aaron.pownell@camden.gov.uk

SHAK Youth Club

Alexandra Resource Centre (Opposite 109 Rowley Way) NW8 OSW

Tel: 0207 624 8935

Email: arc@shakonline.co.uk

Lots more ideas for things for young

people to do here

https://www.camdenrise.co.uk/things-to-do



Camden has lots of community centres who help residents and have lots of activities and support.

Your nearest community centres are:

The Winch

21 Winchester Rd, Belsize Park, NW3 3NR

Tel: 020 7586 8731

https://thewinch.org

activities, advice, support, family help

Swiss Cottage Community Centre

19 Winchester Rd, NW3 3NR

Tel: 020 7586 5272

http://yourswiss.org

information and activities

Abbey Community Centre

222C Belsize Rd, NW6 4DJ

Tel: 020 7624 8378

https://abbeycc-kilburn.org.uk

advice, support and activities

Sidings Community Centre

150 Brassey Rd, NW6 2BA

Tel: 020 7625 6260

http://sidings.org.uk

Support, advice, signposting and food support



Camden Kilburn